

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 686 - SB 818

March 3, 2013

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the term “advance directive” may be referred to as a “medical directive” under the *Tennessee Health Care Decisions Act* regarding individual instruction or written statements relating to the subsequent provisions of health care for an individual.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Any rule-making required of the Board of Licensing Health Care Facilities can be handled during regularly scheduled meetings and within existing resources.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1011, all regulatory boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. The Board of Licensing Health Care Facilities had closing balances of \$594,769 in FY10-11, and \$450,785 in FY11-12. Any revenues in excess of expenditures revert to the general fund at fiscal year end.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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